

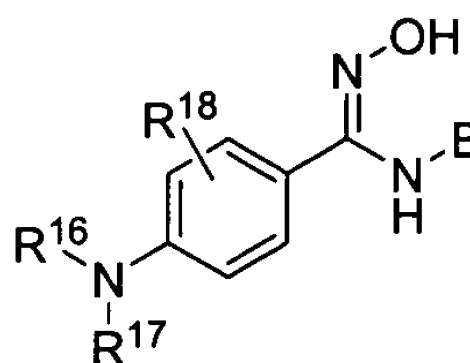
Amendments to the Claims:

Claims 35-59 are pending and presented for examination. Claims 1-34 are canceled without prejudice or disclaimer. Claims 35-59 are newly added.

Listing of Claims:

1.-34. (Canceled)

35. (New) A compound having the formula:



and pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof;

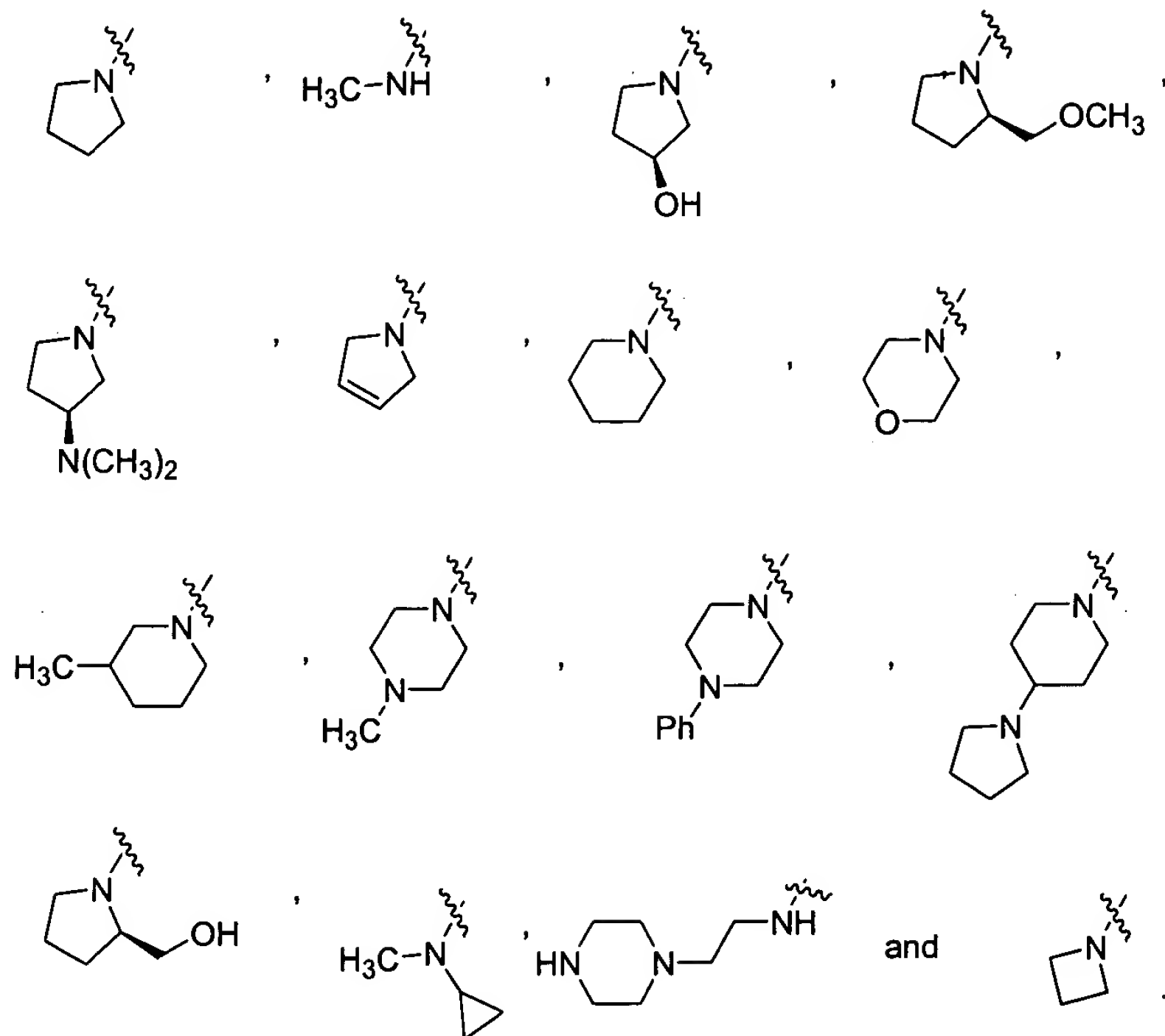
wherein R¹⁸ is selected from the group consisting of (C₁-C₄)alkyl, (C₁-C₄)alkoxy, (C₁-C₄)heteroalkyl, (C₁-C₄)haloalkyl, (C₁-C₄)haloalkoxy and halogen;

B is a phenyl group optionally substituted with one to three substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen, (C₁-C₄)haloalkyl, (C₁-C₄)haloalkoxy, (C₁-C₄)alkyl, (C₁-C₄)alkoxy, (C₁-C₄)heteroalkyl, phenyl, phenoxy and -CO₂Me;

R¹⁶ and R¹⁷ are independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, (C₁-C₈)alkyl and (C₁-C₈)heteroalkyl; or R¹⁶ and R¹⁷ together with the nitrogen atom to which they are attached form a 4- to 7-membered heterocyclic ring optionally having additional heteroatoms as ring members and optionally substituted with substituents selected from the group consisting of (C₁-C₈)alkyl, (C₁-C₈)heteroalkyl, hydroxyl, amino, acetoamido and phenyl.

36. (New) A compound of claim 35 wherein R¹⁸ is (C₁-C₄)haloalkyl.

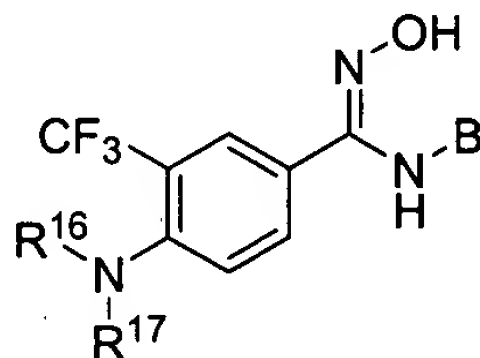
37. (New) A compound of claim 35 wherein -NR¹⁶R¹⁷ is selected from the group consisting of:



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1 **38** (New) A compound of claim 35 wherein B is a phenyl group optionally
2 having one to three substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen, (C₁-C₄)haloalkyl,
3 (C₁-C₄)alkyl, (C₁-C₄)alkoxy and -CO₂Me.

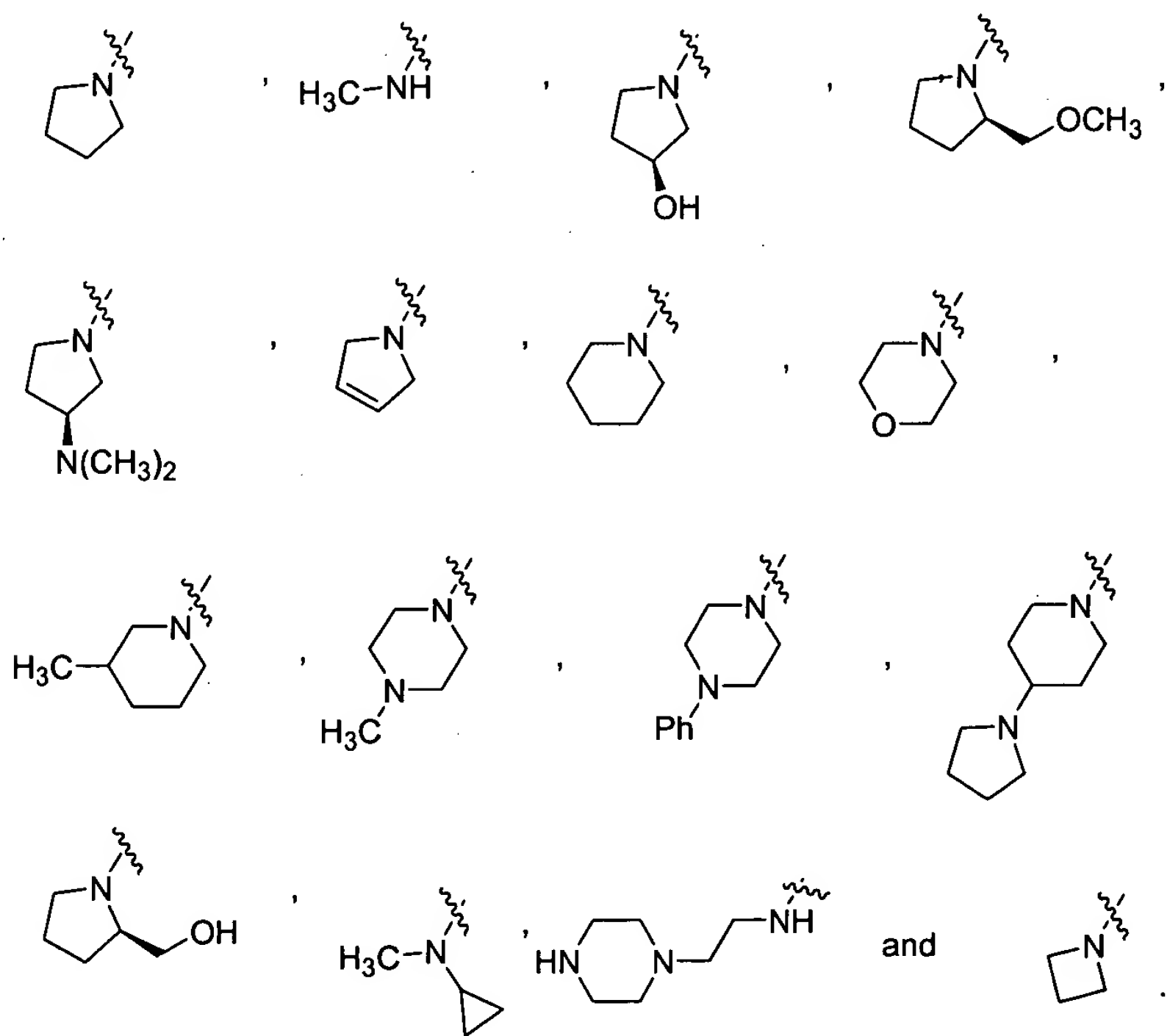
1 **39.** (New) A compound of claim 38 wherein B is a phenyl group having one
2 to three substituents selected from the group consisting of -CO₂Me, trifluoromethyl, fluoro,
3 chloro, and methoxy.

1 **40.** (New) A compound of claim 35 having the formula:

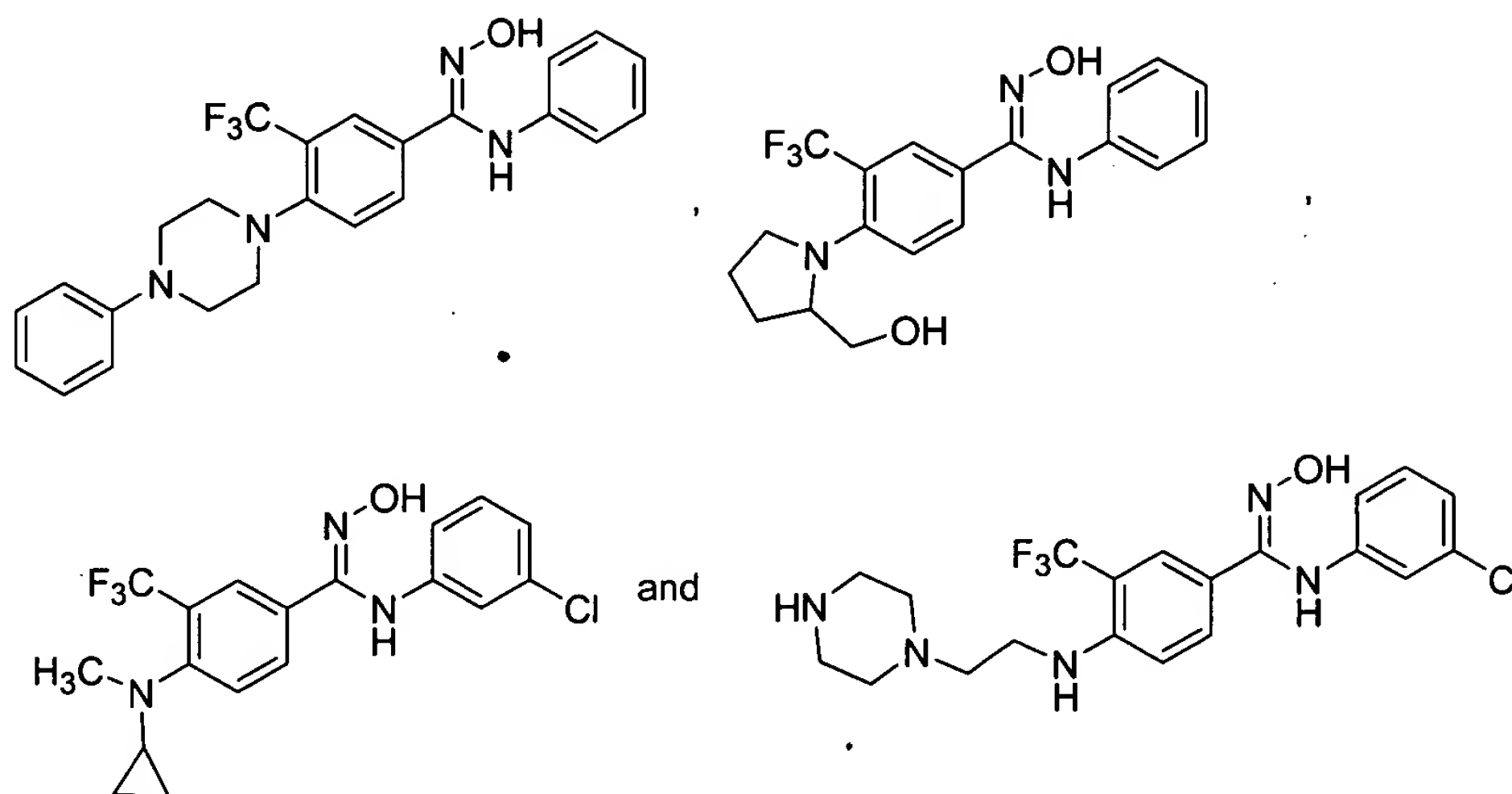


3. wherein B is a phenyl group optionally substituted with one to three substituents
4 selected from the group consisting of halogen, (C₁-C₄)haloalkyl, (C₁-C₄)haloalkoxy, (C₁-
5 C₄)alkyl, (C₁-C₄)alkoxy, (C₁-C₄)heteroalkyl, phenyl, phenoxy and -CO₂Me;
6 R¹⁶ and R¹⁷ are independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen,
7 (C₁-C₈)alkyl and (C₁-C₈)heteroalkyl; or R¹⁶ and R¹⁷ together with the nitrogen atom to which
8 they are attached form a 4- to 7-membered heterocyclic ring optionally having additional
9 heteroatoms as ring members and optionally substituted with substituents selected from the
10 group consisting of (C₁-C₈)alkyl, (C₁-C₈)heteroalkyl, hydroxyl, amino, acetoamido and phenyl.

- 1 41. (New) A compound of claim 40 wherein -NR¹⁶R¹⁷ is selected from the
2 group consisting of:

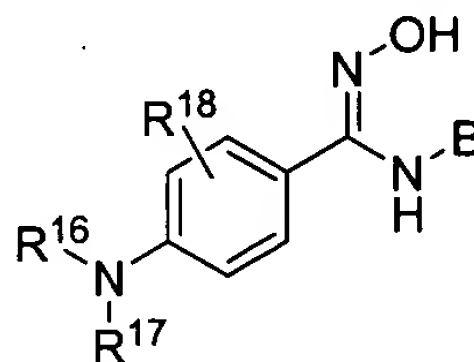


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1 42. (New) A compound of claim 40 selected from the group consisting of:



43. (New) A method of reducing bacterial growth on a surface, said method comprising contacting said surface with a compound of claim 35.

44. (New) A method of treating a bacterial infection comprising contacting a subject in need of such treatment with an effective amount of a compound having the formula:



and pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof;

wherein R^{18} is selected from the group consisting of (C₁-C₄)alkyl, (C₁-C₄)alkoxy, (C₁-C₄)heteroalkyl, (C₁-C₄)haloalkyl, (C₁-C₄)haloalkoxy and halogen;

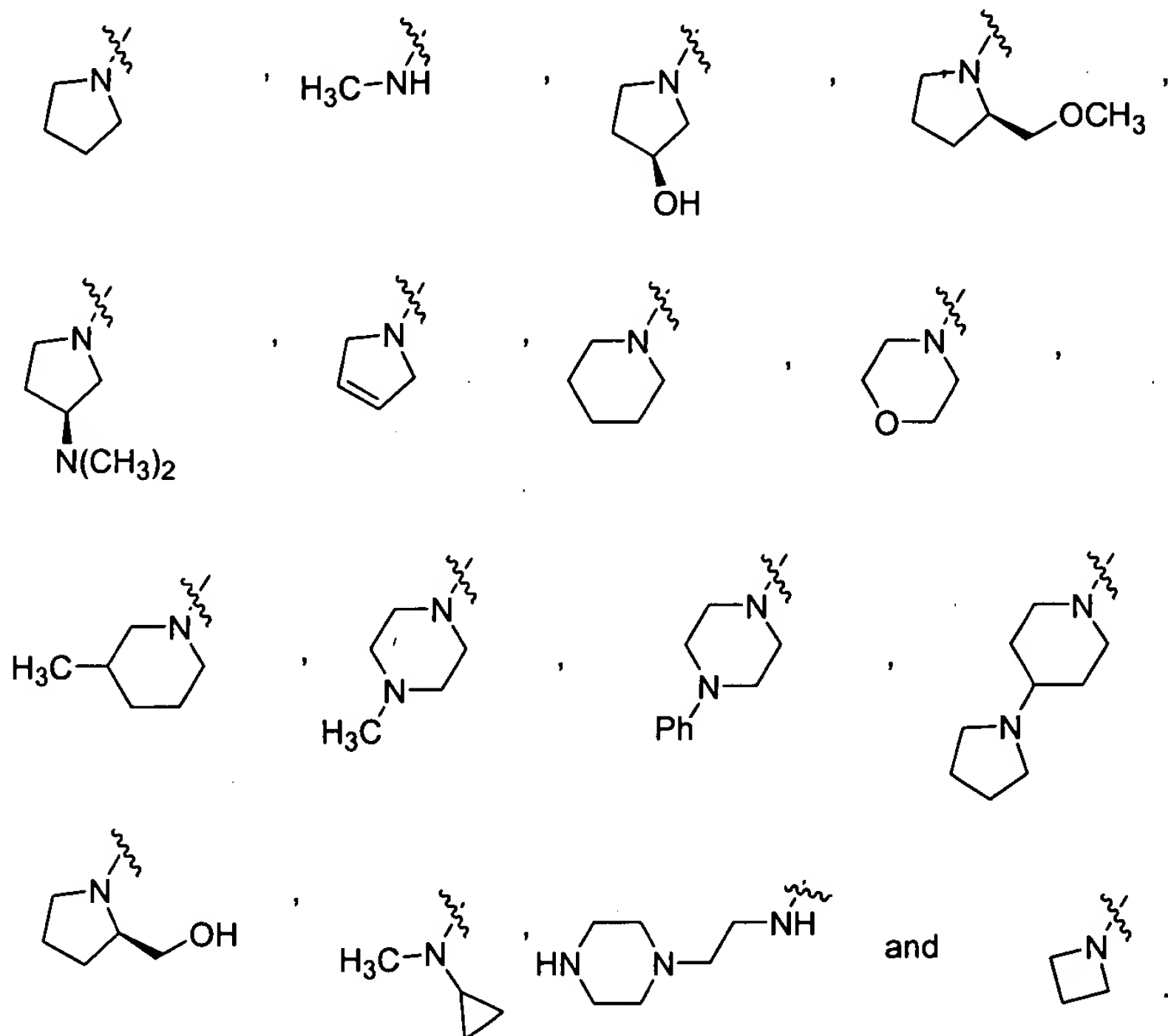
B is a phenyl group optionally substituted with one to three substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen, (C₁-C₄)haloalkyl, (C₁-C₄)haloalkoxy, (C₁-C₄)alkyl, (C₁-C₄)alkoxy, (C₁-C₄)heteroalkyl, phenyl, phenoxy and -CO₂Me;

R^{16} and R^{17} are independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, (C₁-C₈)alkyl and (C₁-C₈)heteroalkyl; or R^{16} and R^{17} together with the nitrogen atom to which they are attached form a 4- to 7-membered heterocyclic ring optionally having additional

13. heteroatoms as ring members and optionally substituted with substituents selected from the
14 group consisting of (C₁-C₈)alkyl, (C₁-C₈)heteroalkyl, hydroxyl, amino, acetoamido and phenyl.

1 45. (New) A method in accordance with claim 44 wherein R¹⁸ is
2 (C₁-C₄)haloalkyl.

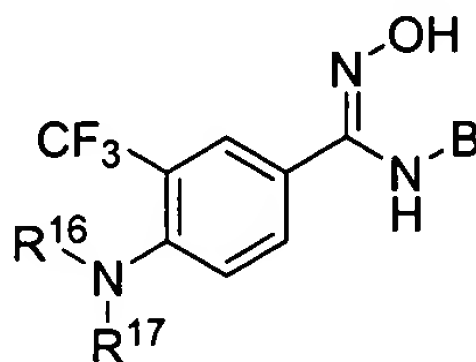
1 46. (New) A method in accordance with claim 44 wherein -NR¹⁶R¹⁷ is
2 selected from the group consisting of:



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1 47. (New) A method in accordance with claim 44 wherein B is a phenyl group
2 optionally having one to three substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen,
3 (C₁-C₄)haloalkyl, (C₁-C₄)alkyl, (C₁-C₄)alkoxy and -CO₂Me.

1 48. (New) A method in accordance with claim 47 wherein B is a phenyl group
2 having one to three substituents selected from the group consisting of -CO₂Me, trifluoromethyl,
3 fluoro, chloro, and methoxy.

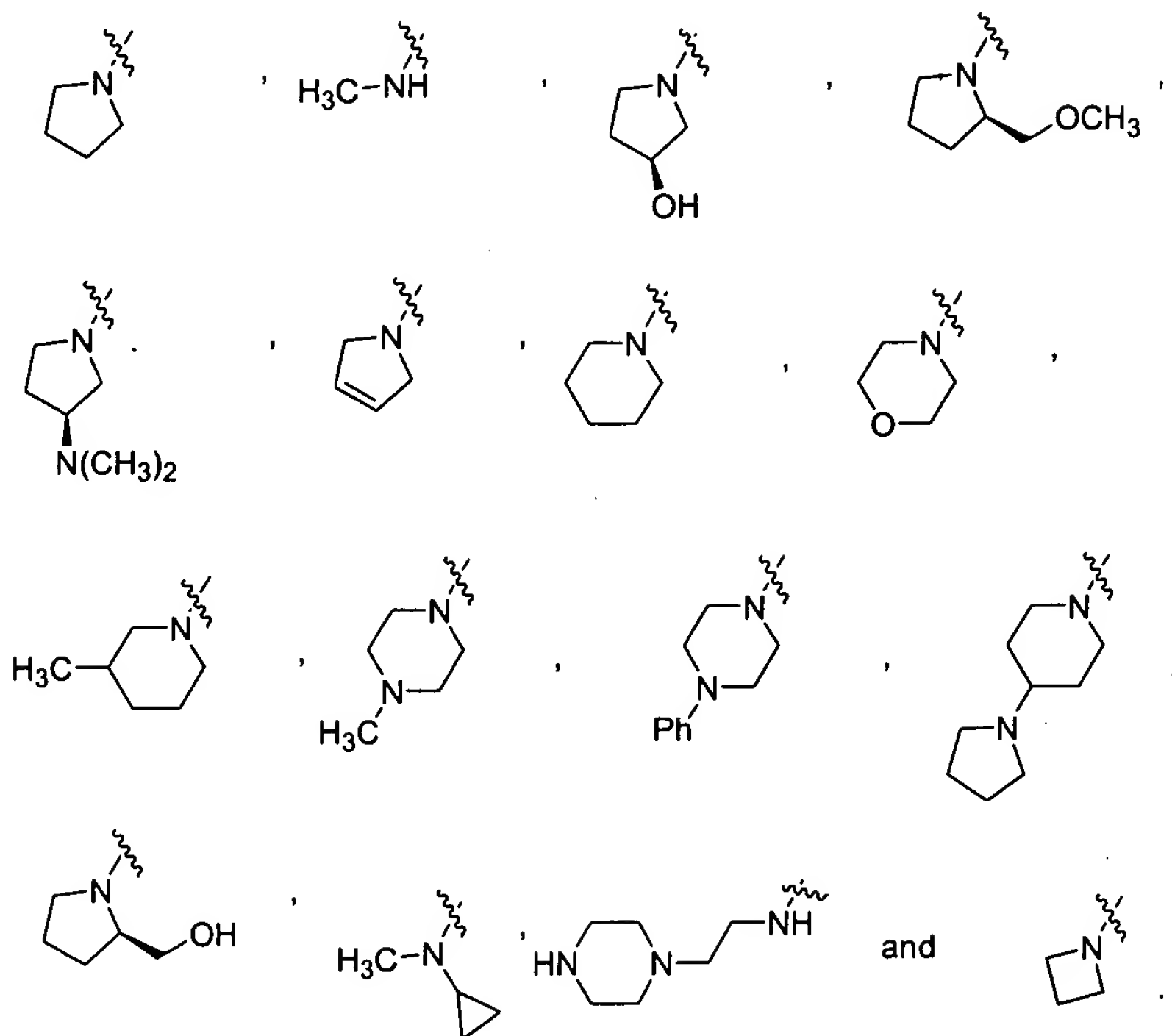
1 49. (New) A method in accordance with claim 44 having the formula:



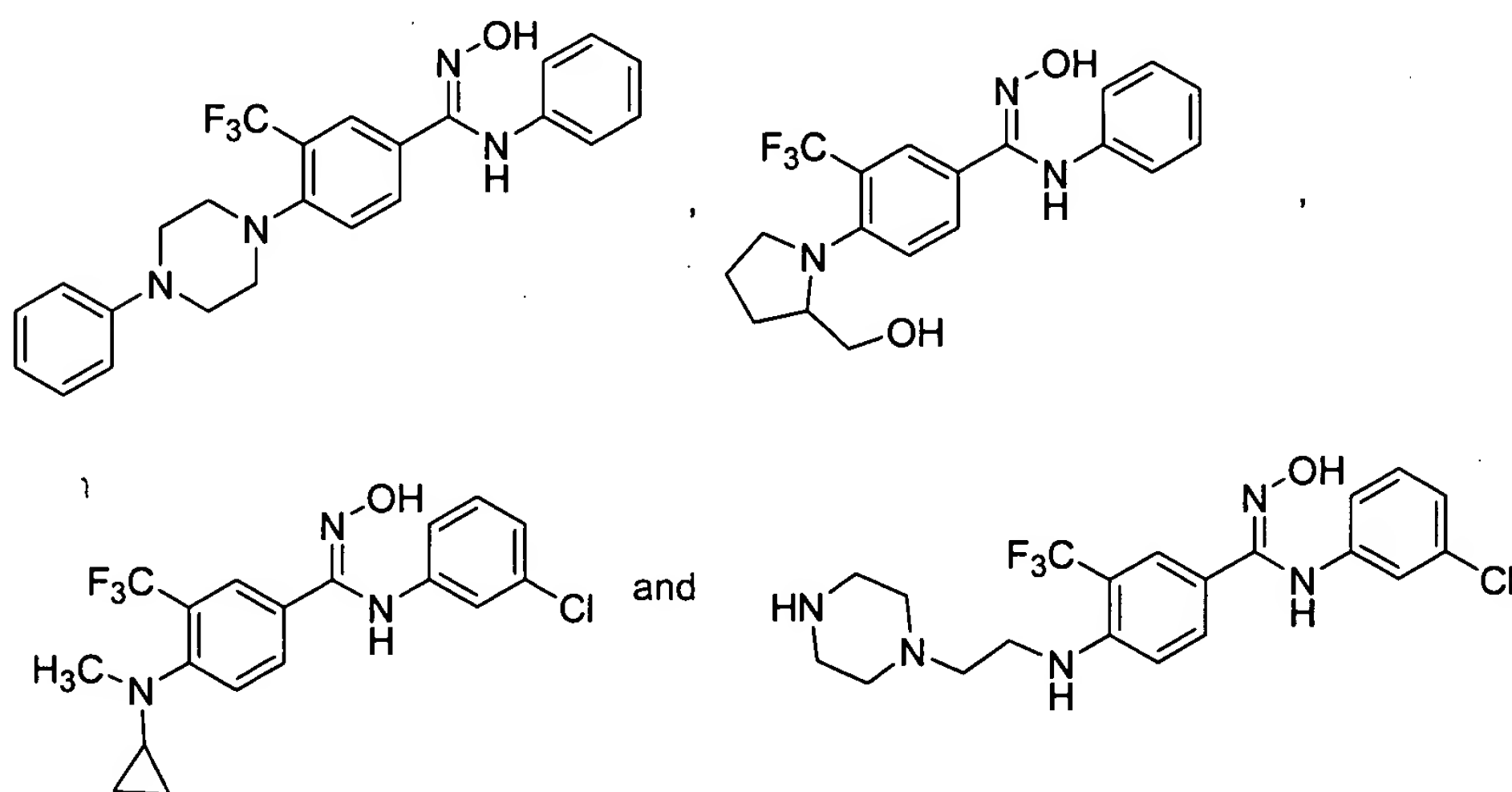
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3 wherein B is a phenyl group optionally substituted with one to three substituents
4 selected from the group consisting of halogen, (C₁-C₄)haloalkyl, (C₁-C₄)haloalkoxy,
5 (C₁-C₄)alkyl, (C₁-C₄)alkoxy, (C₁-C₄)heteroalkyl, phenyl, phenoxy and -CO₂Me;

6 R¹⁶ and R¹⁷ are independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen,
7 (C₁-C₈)alkyl and (C₁-C₈)heteroalkyl; or R¹⁶ and R¹⁷ together with the nitrogen atom to which
8 they are attached form a 4- to 7-membered heterocyclic ring optionally having additional
9 heteroatoms as ring members and optionally substituted with substituents selected from the
10 group consisting of (C₁-C₈)alkyl, (C₁-C₈)heteroalkyl, hydroxyl, amino, acetoamido and phenyl.

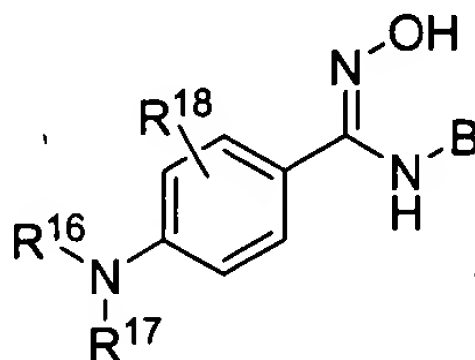
1 50. (New) A method in accordance with claim 49 wherein -NR¹⁶R¹⁷ is
2 selected from the group consisting of:



51. (New) A method in accordance with claim 49, wherein said compound is selected from the group consisting of:



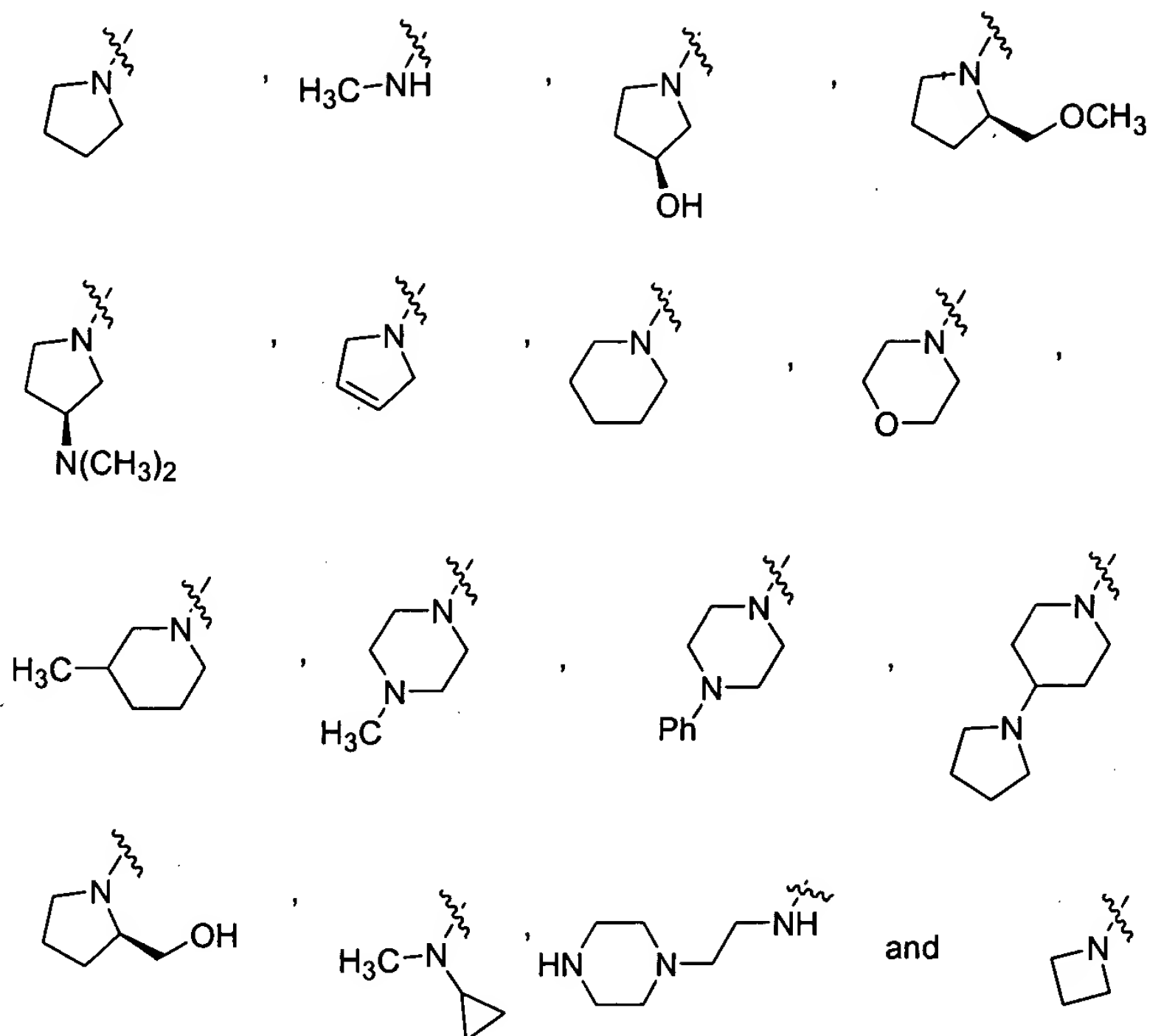
- 1 **52.** (New) A pharmaceutical composition comprising a pharmaceutically
2. acceptable carrier or excipient and a compound having the formula:



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4 and pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof;
5. wherein R¹⁸ is selected from the group consisting of (C₁-C₄)alkyl, (C₁-C₄)alkoxy,
6 (C₁-C₄)heteroalkyl, (C₁-C₄)haloalkyl, (C₁-C₄)haloalkoxy and halogen;
7 B is a phenyl group optionally substituted with one to three substituents selected
8 from the group consisting of halogen, (C₁-C₄)haloalkyl, (C₁-C₄)haloalkoxy, (C₁-C₄)alkyl, (C₁-
9 C₄)alkoxy, (C₁-C₄)heteroalkyl, phenyl, phenoxy and -CO₂Me;
10 R¹⁶ and R¹⁷ are independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen,
11 (C₁-C₈)alkyl and (C₁-C₈)heteroalkyl; or R¹⁶ and R¹⁷ together with the nitrogen atom to which
12 they are attached form a 4- to 7-membered heterocyclic ring optionally having additional
13 heteroatoms as ring members and optionally substituted with substituents selected from the
14 group consisting of (C₁-C₈)alkyl, (C₁-C₈)heteroalkyl, hydroxyl, amino, acetoamido and phenyl.

- 1 **53.** (New) A composition of claim **52** wherein R¹⁸ is (C₁-C₄)haloalkyl.

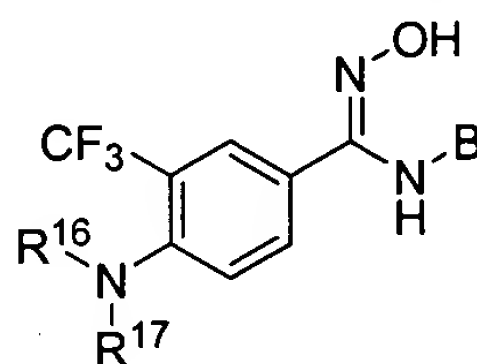
- 1 **54.** (New) A composition of claim **52** wherein -NR¹⁶R¹⁷ is selected from the
2 group consisting of:



55. (New) A composition of claim **52** wherein B is a phenyl group optionally having one to three substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen, (C₁-C₄)haloalkyl, (C₁-C₄)alkyl, (C₁-C₄)alkoxy and -CO₂Me.

56. (New) A composition of claim **55** wherein B is a phenyl group having one to three substituents selected from the group consisting of -CO₂Me, trifluoromethyl, fluoro, chloro, and methoxy.

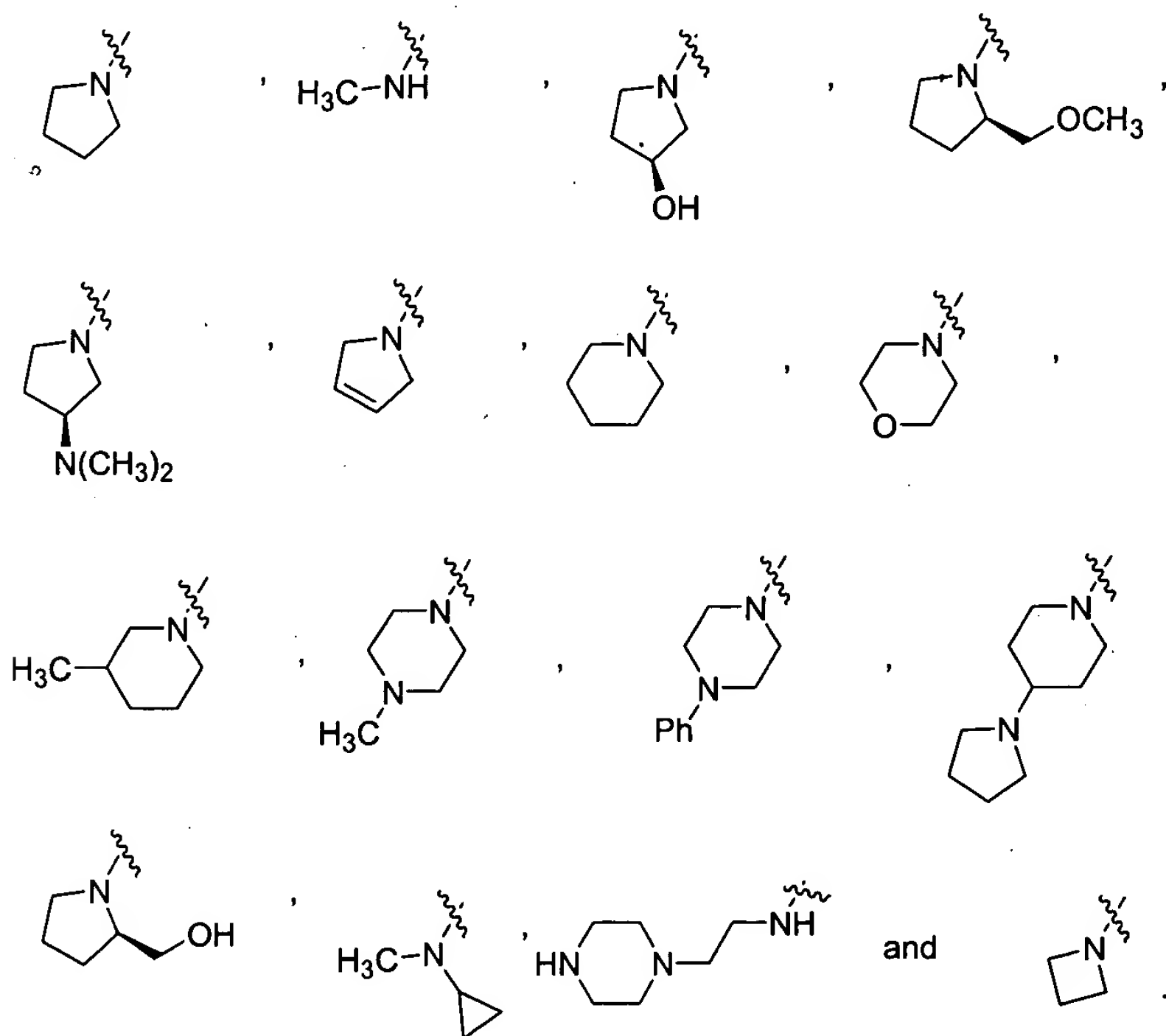
57. (New) A composition of claim **52** having the formula:



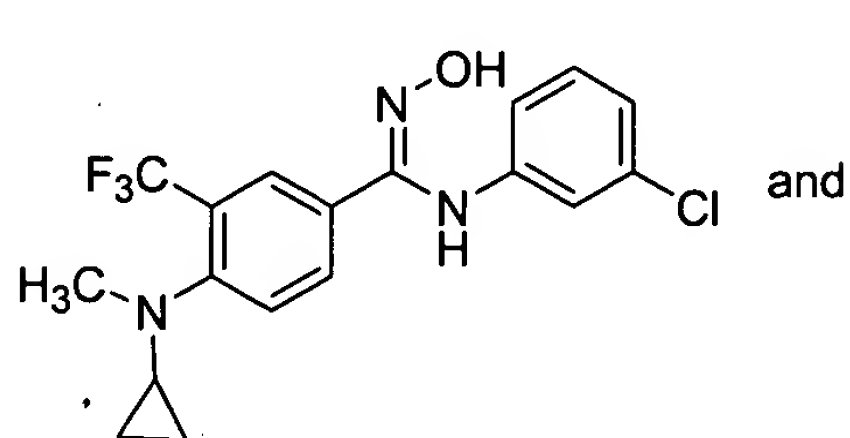
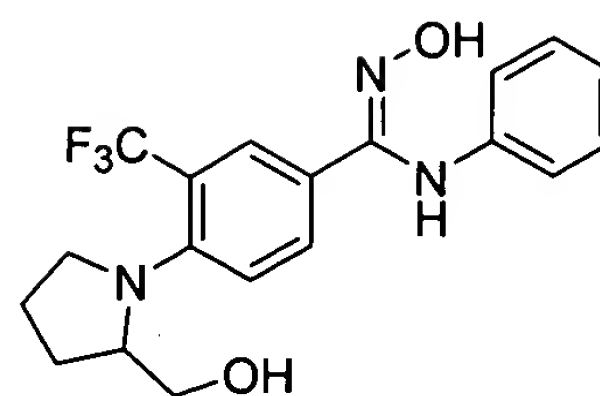
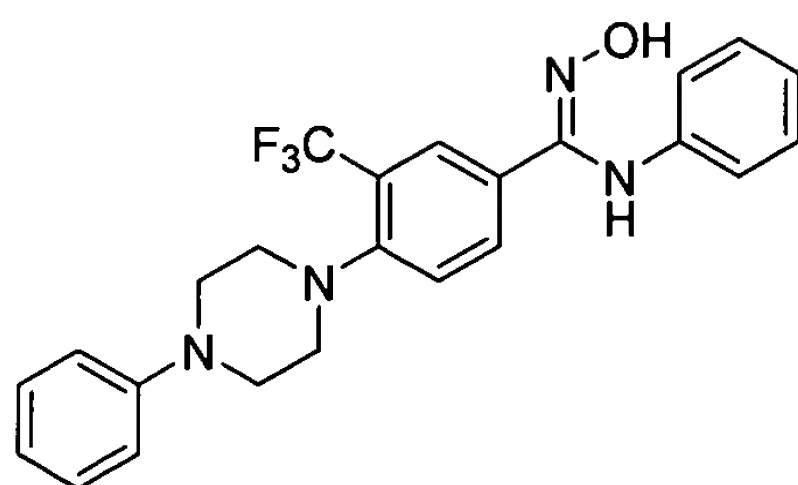
wherein B is a phenyl group optionally substituted with one to three substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen, (C₁-C₄)haloalkyl, (C₁-C₄)haloalkoxy, (C₁-C₄)alkyl, (C₁-C₄)alkoxy, (C₁-C₄)heteroalkyl, phenyl, phenoxy and -CO₂Me;

R¹⁶ and R¹⁷ are independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, (C₁-C₈)alkyl and (C₁-C₈)heteroalkyl; or R¹⁶ and R¹⁷ together with the nitrogen atom to which they are attached form a 4- to 7-membered heterocyclic ring optionally having additional heteroatoms as ring members and optionally substituted with substituents selected from the group consisting of (C₁-C₈)alkyl, (C₁-C₈)heteroalkyl, hydroxyl, amino, acetoamido and phenyl.

58. (New) A composition of claim 57 wherein -NR¹⁶R¹⁷ is selected from the group consisting of:



59. (New) A composition of claim 57 comprising a compound selected from the group consisting of:



and

